

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Customer No. : 23911

Title : Use of 1,1,1,3,3-Pentafluorobutane as a Refrigerant in a
Turbocompressor Cooling System

COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

In the comment included in the Notice of Allowability issued in connection with the instant application, the reasons for allowance are stated as "No teaching can be found that specifies the use of 1,1,1,3,3-pentafluorobutane as a refrigerant by itself". Applicants agree that claims 1-5 are allowable for at least this reason. Claims 6-10 are similarly allowable at least because there is no prior art which anticipates or obviates the subject matter of the methods of these claims, which involves the use of 1,1,1,3,3-pentafluorobutane and at least one of two named fluorocarbons.

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Respectfully submitted,

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